

To Whom it may concern:Regarding the concern expressed by the FCC as to how well we serve the interests of our community. I take personal pride in broadcasting 3 to 11 daily local newscasts and 3 to 18 national newscasts as well as weather updates on the hour on all three of our stations. We have a full time news director employed to make sure we know what is happening in our community and he personally attends school board meetings, chamber events, fund raisers, fairs, community events, ect. We also have our website offering a direct link to our local network KEYC TV- CBS affilliate web site.

Local Public Affairs are also covered with our Cafe 1310 program where we have community leaders on air three times a week discussing issues important to our local area. We have all 28 of our employees do Community Leader Interviews each week. An interview is conducted asking what issues are important and why, signed by interviewer and interviewee. Then we meet each week with our programmers and prioritize these concerns and issues and determine what programming we can use to address these issues.

We also have a great working relationship with the community leaders and are called upon to help them address issues in the community such as the Grafetti hot line, Church outreach programs, Youth programs, Disaster Drills, ect. We provide emergency updates, such as accident sites to be avoided, severe weather information, with weather spotters live in the field, Amber alerts, local criminal activity alerts, chemical spills, ect. We invite local politicians to our Cafe 1310 program to discuss local races. We have guests on our Morning shows, we encourage people to get out and vote on referendems. We provide links to pertinent web sites. Our Civic, Cultural and Community responsive programming is filled with 2 live church service broadcasts per week, local youth sports broadcasts weekly, local theatre groups performances, grand openings of youth centers, events, fund raisers, local interest groups providing free services to youth, such as Historyfest, Blood drives, Food Shelf drives, (Stuff A Truck) safe Halloween candy distribution with our local Mall, promote local youth activities, Hockey, Dance, Plays, YMCA, Concerts, Theatre. We air Thousands of dollars each month in PSA's for drinking and driving, safe sex, smoking hazards, domestic abuse, Yellow Ribbon suicide prevention hot lines, free health care, homeless shelters, gang information, drugs, crime, Domestic abuse, suicide prevention, missing persons, ect. We promote local musicians, free concerts, our Chamber of Commerce. We participate in Community activities, Area parades, Ducks Unlimited, Pheasants Forever, March of Dimes, Walk for Life, One Bright Star, United Way, Relay for Life, Ride for Life, Red Cross Blood Drive, Boy Scouts & Girl Scouts of America, and many others. I serve on 3 Boards of Directors for Boy Scouts, ISJ Mayo Health Foundation, & History Fest.

All of my employees are required to serve on local non-profit committies like; Crisis Lines, Rotary, Salvation Army, Churches, Youth Groups, Sports, Chambers, Exchange Clubs, Historical Society, Humane Society, Educational, Political, Citizens groups, American Cancer, ect.

We do School supply drives and Christmas present drives for needy children. Job Fairs, Alternative school mentoring programs, provide Internships for local students. We have a community services link on our website.

Actually, when I look back on this report, I am very proud of the high level of support we are able to provide as a local broadcaster. Our Corporate motto is "Main Street, not Wall Street." No other Media in the community can come close to the level of service we provide. I am proud to be a General Manager and Radio Broadcaster in this Community.

Sincerely,

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